

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

L E T T E R

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

Estimate of appropriation for printing the Revised Statutes of the United States.

MARCH 1, 1893.—Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
February 28, 1893.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith, for the consideration of Congress, copy of a communication from William A. Richardson, of the 28th instant, inclosing a certified copy of public act No. 92, approved February 27, 1893, herewith, "For the further continuance of the publication of the Supplement of the Revised Statutes of the United States," under the editorial charge of the editor (Mr. Richardson) of the existing Supplement and his assistants.

As the act in question does not provide an appropriation to carry out its provisions, I would respectfully recommend that the following clause be inserted in the general deficiency bill now pending in Congress:

To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay William A. Richardson, when the work shall have been completed, for preparing and editing a Supplement to the Revised Statutes, under the act approved February 27, 1893, two thousand dollars.

Respectfully, yours,

CHARLES FOSTER,
Secretary.

The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.

COURT OF CLAIMS,
Washington, D. C., February 28, 1893.

SIR: I inclose a certified copy of an act of Congress just passed.

I shall have the two pamphlets of the first and second sessions of the present Congress completed before July 1, 1893, and the appropriation ought to be made in the deficiency bill now pending.

I would thank you if you would address an estimate to the Commit-

tee on Appropriations of the Senate calling their attention to the fact and asking for an appropriation of \$2,000, that is, \$1,000, for the pamphlet of each of the two sessions.

See form of appropriation for former work of same kind, 26 Stat. L., 969.

Yours, respectfully,

WILLIAM A. RICHARDSON.

Hon. CHARLES FOSTER,
Secretary of the Treasury.

[Public No. 92.]

AN ACT for the further continuance of the publication of the Supplement to the Revised Statutes of the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the publication of the Supplement to the Revised Statutes of the United States shall be further continued under the editorial charge of the editor of the existing Supplement and his assistants.

SEC. 2. That at the end of each session of Congress a pamphlet edition of the permanent and general legislation of the session, with notes, references, and an index, substantially on the plan of the existing Supplement, shall be stereotyped and printed at the Government Printing Office; the plates and all rights thereto to be the property of the United States.

SEC. 3. That the number of copies of said pamphlet and the distribution and sale thereof shall be the same as provided for the printing, distribution, and sale of said Supplement by the act of April ninth, eighteen hundred and ninety, chapter seventy-three (First Supplement to Revised Statutes, second edition, page seven hundred and twelve).

SEC. 4. That there shall be paid to said editor for himself and his assistants, including the cost of all clerical labor and other expenses, the sum of one thousand dollars for preparing the pamphlet for each session of Congress.

Approved, February 27, 1893.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE, *February 28, 1893.*

A true copy:

R. S. CHILTON, Jr.,
Chief Clerk.

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